GOVERNMENT OFANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Commercial Taxes) Department – Andhra Pradesh Goods and Service Tax Act, 2017 (Act No.16 of 2017)- Notification of the revised jurisdictions of the Appellate Authorities - Orders– Issued.

REVENUE (COMMERCIAL TAXES) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.63

Dated:19.02.2024.
Read the following:

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1.G.O.Ms.No.419, Rev. (CT-I) Dept., dated 01.06.2022.
2.G.O.Ms.No.504, Rev. (CT-I) Dept., dated 01.07.2022.
3.G.O.Ms.No.331, Rev. (CT-I) Dept., dated 20.07.2023.
4.G.O.Rt.No.666, Rev. (CT-I) Dept., dated 26.07.2023.
5.CCTs File No. REV03-16027/25/2023-C-SEC-CCT, dt.06.09.2023.
6.CCTs File No. REV03-16027/25/2023-C-SEC-CCT, dt.30.01.2024.

ORDER:

Government vide reference 1st read above, issued orders to upgrade the two first Appellate Authorities from the level of Joint Commissioner to the level of Additional Commissioner and the two offices in Vijayawada and Tirupati will be continued and a new Appellate Authority will be established at Visakhapatnam.

2. Government vide reference 2nd cited, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 3 read with clause (8) of Section 2 of the Andhra Pradesh Goods and Service Tax Act, 2017 (Act No.16 of 2017), appointed two Additional Commissioners of State Tax as first Appellate Authorities to hear the appeals filed under section 107 of the Andhra Pradesh Goods and Service Tax Act, 2017, with headquarters at Tirupati and Vijayawada with the following jurisdictions.

Appellate Authority at Tirupati	Appellate Authority at Vijayawada
Anantapur, Kurnool,Kadapa, Chittoor, Nellore, Guntur-I and Guntur-II Commercial Taxes Divisions	Vijayawada-1,Vijayawada-2, Vijayawada-3, Eluru, Kakinada, Rajamahendravaram, Visakhapatnam-1, Visakhapatnam-2 and Vizianagaram Commercial Taxes Divisions

3. Government vide reference 3rd cited, issued orders restructuring of staffing pattern based on workload assessment and allotted the required staff to the Appellate Authority, Visakhapatnam.

4. Government vide reference 4th cited, issued orders relaxing the ban on transfers and postings. Based on that, the CCST has filled all the posts in the cadres of GSTOs, Senior Assistants and Junior Assistants in the Appellate Authority, Visakhapatnam on order to serve basis.

5. In the reference 6th cited, the Chief Commissioner of State Tax, A.P. furnished a proposal to notify the two Appellate Offices at Tirupati and

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Vijayawada until such time a full-fledged Appellate Office is established at Visakhapatnam.

6. Government after careful examination, approves the proposals of the Chief Commissioner of State Tax.

7. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, Dated:19.02.2024

NOTIFICATION

Government, in partial modifications of the orders issued vide G.O.Ms.No.504, Revenue (CT-I) Dept., Dt.01.07.2022, hereby revise the jurisdiction of the (2) Appellate Authorities as shown in the below table until such time a full-fledged Appellate Office is established at Visakhapatnam.

Appellate Authority at Tirupati	**Appellate Authority at Vijayawada**
Anantapur, Kurnool, Kadapa, Chittoor and Nellore Commercial Taxes Divisions	Guntur-I, Guntur-II, Vijayawada- 1, Vijayawada-2, Vijayawada-3, Eluru, Rajamahendravaram, Kakinada, Visakhapatnam-1, Visakhapatnam-2 and Vizianagaram Commercial Taxes Divisions.

8. This notification shall come into force with effect from 01.03.2024.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (HR.II) Department vide their U.O.No.1689713/HR.II/FIN01-HR0PDPP(RRD)/53/2022, Dt.30.01.2024.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (CT) FINANCE

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Publication Wing), A.P., Vijayawada ... for publication of the Notification (he is requested to supply 20 copies of the notification to this Department and 200 copies to the Chief Commissioner of State Tax, Andhra Pradesh, Kunchenapalli).
The Chief Commissioner of State Tax, Andhra Pradesh, Kunchanapalli.

Copy to:
The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasury and Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Secretary, AP VAT Appellate Tribunal, D.No.60-50-30/12(2), Meghana Towers, Opp: Gurudwara Bus Stop, Visakhapatnam-530013.
The OSD to the Hon'ble Minister (Commercial Taxes), A.P.Secretariat, Velagapudi.
Sf/Sc.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER